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HIGHWAYS.

Prices of labor on Highways as established by the Selectmen:

Laborers, per hour,	12 1-2 cents.
Horse and cart, per hour,	12 1-2 "
Yoke of oxen, "	16 "

Receipts.

By Taxes,	6000 00
John O. Lord, for watering trough,	3 00
	$6003 00

Payments.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

To labor 850 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	106 25
use of horse and cart 374 hours at 12 1-2 cts.,	46 70
use of oxen 41 hours at 16 cents,	6 56
George W. Farnham for gravel,	4 50
	$164 01

DISTRICT NO. 2.

To labor 1996 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	249 55
use of horse and cart 260 hours at 12 1-2 cts.,	32 50
use of oxen 146 hours at 16 cents,	21 90
James Burnham for stone,	2 00
	$305 95

DISTRICT NO. 3.

To labor 6140 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	767 50
use of horse and cart 1015 hours at 12 1-2 cts.,	126 91
use of oxen 282 hours at sixteen cents,	45 12
Henry A. Jameson for blacksmith work.	3 00
S. A. Seavey for powder and nails,	2 14
	$944 67

DISTRICT NO. 4.

To labor 872 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	109 00
use of horse and cart 409 hours at 12 1-2 cts.,	51 19
use of oxen 85 hours at 16 cents,	13 60
Benjamin Hussey for 205 loads gravel,	20 50
	$194 29

DISTRICT NO. 5.

To labor 23,967 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	2995 90
use of horse and cart 4605 hours at 12 1-2 cts.,	575 67

To use of oxen 250 hours at 16 cents,	40 00
James A. Locke, 212 days from Jan. 1, 1878, to Nov 1, 1878, at 1.75 per day,	372 50
Peter Brecette for sidewalks,	810 68
Charles Duford for sidewalks,	135 43
Joseph M. Jones, hauling stone,	86 00
moving derrick,	3 00
Francis A. Horn, work on bridge,	34 00
John C. Hastings, work on sidewalk,	10 00
Richard Blaisdell, work on water pipe,	22 25
George H. Marshall for stone,	12 00
John Kidder for covering stone,	15 00
Moses C. Swain, edge stone,	45 72
Daniel Sanborn, stone and labor,	16 50
Samuel Tibbets, paving stone,	26 00
George Hussey, paving stone,	4 00
Benjamin Hussey, paving stone,	79 00
James M. Drew, building wall,	36 00
Wm. B. Pierce, brick,	10 50
W. A. Horne, trucking,	3 35
J. L. Pitman, "	2 90
H H. Gillespie, "	1 25
E P. Horn, "	4 50
Daniel Wingate, signs, private way,	6 00
I. F. Harriman, lumber and labor,	4 75
E. A. Watson, lumber,	29 25
Blaisdell & Bartlett, lumber,	3 25
Forest Glade Cemetery, lumber,	62 85
T. G Jameson, use of derrick,	7 00
C. P. Andrews, building steps,	3 00
Wm. Mills, work on water pipe,	6 25
W. I. Ash, ironing snow plow,	3 00

To S. A. Seavey, tools,	15 00
A. B. Haines, work on bridge in 1876,	10 00
Somersworth Machine Co., cinders,	10 10
pipe,	48 46
repairing tools,	19 27
Mrs. B. P. Page, 375 loads gravel,	37 50
Wm. D. Merrick, blacksmith work,	39 48
F. M Clark, repairing tools,	10 25
Morrill W. Libbey, blacksmith work,	2 60
	$5660 16

DISTRICT NO. 6.

To labor 673 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	84 10
use of horse and cart 220 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	27 50
	$111 60

DISTRICT NO. 7.

To labor 1854 hours at 12 1-2 cents an hour	231 70
use of horse and cart 138 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	17 25
use of oxen 318 hours at 16 cents,	50 88
H. L. Kidder, for gravel,	10 00
Hiram Horn, lumber,	8 69
Jacob Whitehouse, expense on bridge,	4 50
	$323 02

DISTRICT NO. 8.

To labor 1251 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	156 35
use of horse and cart 140 hours at 12 1-2 cents,	17 50
use of oxen 87 hours at 16 cents,	13 92
George W. Farnham, for gravel,	4 00
James A. Locke, building new road,	203 87
	$395 64
Total expenditures for highways,	$8099 34

STREET LIGHTS.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$1400 00
Town of Berwick,	15 25
	$1415 25

Payments.

To Great Falls Gas Light Co., for gas one year from Feb. 1, 1878 to Feb. 1, 1879,	948 77
Globe Gas Light Co., for 55 galls. globe naptha,	13 75
5 street lanterns,	30 00
2 attachments,	14 00
3 five gallon cans,	3 75
1 quart measure and feeder,	75

To Globe Gas Light Co., for 1 iron frame,	1 75
1 package,	75
Bagley & Co., express.	10 90
Alonzo Stevens, lighting street lights from Feb. 1 to May 10, 1878,	3 32
Eben H. Pierce, lighting street lights from from May 10, 1878, to Feb. 1, 1879,	74 98
work on lanterns.	2 00
Daniel Mahoney, lighting street lights from Feb. 1 to May 10, 1878.	31 50
Edwin Mellen, lighting street lights from May 10, 1878 to Feb. 1, 1879.	81 00
N. W. Turner & Co., 6 lantern globes.	7 63
Tebbetts & Brother, 1 gas pipe wrench.	1 75
nails,	1 20
brimstone.	35
S. A. Seavey, 1 oil can.	15
David Wingate, repairing lanterns,	9 05
Horace B. Tibbets, setting lamp post.	2 05
George Young, working on street lights,	62
John H. Fullerton, setting lamp post,	1 25
Cornelius Keleher, labor,	1 62
Charles D. Pierce, repairing lights,	5 81
Tristram Grant, labor,	38
J. L Pitman, trucking.	1 85
William Mills, labor on gas lights.	35 00
1 Naptha street lamp,	7 95
70 feet gas pipe.	4 52
14 lamp post cocks,	7 00
2 burners,	1 00
Somersworth Machine Co., 1 lamp post and lantern for bridge,	27 50

To Somersworth Machine Co., 2 lamp posts and 3 lanterns,	70	00
3 globes,	6	00
1 top for lamp post,	1	00
1 cross bar for lamp post,		75
1 hour labor,		50
H. C. Gilpatrick, repairing street lanterns,	4	80
	$1446	95

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$2500	00

Payments.

To James Boyd & Sons, 200 feet hose,	200	00
Engine Co. No. 1, pay roll,	590	84
Engine Co. No. 3, " "	589	96
Engine Co. No. 4, " "	580	82
Hose Co., " "	187	50
Hook and Ladder Co , pay roll,	180	00
Fire Engineers,	75	00
E. F. Page & Co., 150 feet linen hose,	116	25
50 feet rubber hose,	32	00
M. W. Libbey, reel and castings for No. 3,	25	00
repairs,	4	50
J. M. French, varnishing hose carriage,	10	00

To Freeman Chick, repairing No. 4 hose carriage,	4	25
repairs No. 3 engine house,	6	87
hydrant boxes,	10	75
jack for Hook and Ladder,	1	50
Great Falls Gas Light Co., gas for No. 1 Co.,	3	36
" No. 3 Co.,	5	37
" No. 4 Co.,	3	96
" Hose Co.,	5	94
" Hook & Ladder	1	32
Ira Chellis, repairing No. 1 engine,	7	00
S. A. Seavey, copper rivets,		60
oil, rope and glass for No. 1,	9	64
oil and rope for No. 3,	5	56
oil for No. 4,		15
Ira T. Daniels & Co., wood for No. 4,	3	00
J. N. Haines, wood for No. 3,	2	50
Hill & Clark, shingling engine house,	26	25
G. W. Hubbard, table for Hook & Ladder,	16	00
J. S. Smith, repairs No. 4 Engine house,	13	89
Henry Evans, chairs for Hook & Ladder,	26	67
I. S. Coleman, rent for Hook & Ladder, from Sept. 26, 1877, to Sept. 26, 1878,	125	00
J. L. Pitman, care of hydrants,	63	00
H. C. Gilpatrick, stove for No. 3,	10	40
Enoch Whitehouse, supplies for No. 1,	6	67
George Stevens, watching fire at Bayles,	2	00
Charles F. Davis, " " "	1	00
Albert Jones, " " at Furber's,	2	00
P. J. Keating, fighting fire at Jameson's,	7	50
John Kelley, " "	1	25
J. F. Wentworth, " "	6	25
J. F. Tate, " "	7	50

To William Mason, fighting fire at Jameson's,			3 12
J. M. Swinerton,	"	"	6 25
G. H. Randall,	"	"	3 12
Thomas Randlett,	"	"	3 75
L. Furbush,	"	"	7 50
Owen Coyle,	"	"	2 50
Timothy Keleher,	"	"	3 12
Hiram Nash, patterns, No. 1,			1 25
John Jones, wood for Hook & Ladder Co.,			1 25
Joseph Libbey, work on Hook & Ladder,			3 00
J L. Pitman, trucking,			4 50
E. P. Horne, trucking,			11 25
Hurd & Cate, supplies for No. 3, .			1 80
C. M. Jones, sundries for No. 3,			1 50
P L. Ward, brake straps for Hook & Ladder,			2 64
Hodsdon Brothers, labor and materials,			5 30
James H. Harrison, castings for No. 1,			4 45
John Stewart, lantern globe,			40
Somersworth Machine Co., labor for No. 1,			11 12
			$3056 84

TOWN HALL.

Receipts.

By Rents,	516 00

Payments.

To Great Falls Gas Light Co., for gas one year, from Feb. 1, 1878 to Feb. 1, 1879,	$175 86
H. C. Gilpatrick, repairing furnace,	5 63
1 feather duster,	3 50
Hiram Wentworth, work on furnace,	4 10
John Kelley, repairing roof,	15 25
David Wingate, repairing windows,	1 40
Freeman Chick, desk,	1 75
labor on roof,	1 25
John Stewart, Jr., 2 pitchers,	1 00
1 lantern,	90
Enoch Whitehouse, 2 brooms,	80
J. L. Pitman, hauling saw dust,	4 00
H. A. Hamilton, charcoal,	2 24
James Lord, wood,	3 25
Tristram Grant, sawing wood,	50
C. J. Cowell, services as janitor,	205 00
	$426 43

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$500 00
Police Court, fines and fees,	114 67
	$614 67

Payments.

To True W Woodman, arrest and committing to jail in 1876, Albert Chamberlain,	$10 00
Jerry Ford, arrest and committing to jail in 1877, John Harley,	9 00
Nathaniel N. Hurd, services as special police in July,	6 00
at Granite State Riding Park,	8 00
witness fee vs. Thomas B. Smith,	77
Edwin Mellen, special police,	8 00
Eben H. Pierce, special police,	8 00
Geo. E. Beacham, 7 complaints and warrants,	10 50
Chas. F. Davis, police officer from April 1st, 1878 to Feb. 1879,	60 00
special services in July,	6 00
special services at Granite State Park,	8 00
arrest of Patrick Nowell,	4 99

To Chas. F. Davis, paid witness,		77
arrest of Napoleon Spinney,	4	99
paid witness,		77
arrest of James Hayden,	5	36
paid 2 witnesses,	1	54
Ivory L. Wentworth, police officer from April 1, 1878 to Apr. 1, 1879,	72	00
special services in July,	6	00
special services at fair,	4	00
arrest of Thos B. Smith	5	24
paid witness,		77
arrest of John Hogan,	5	36
paid 2 witnesses,	1	54
George W. Stevens, police officer from Apr. 1, 1878 to April 1, 1879,	72	00
special services in July,	6	00
special services at fair,	4	00
expenses,		25
arrest of Charles Kelley,	4	99
paid witness,		77
arrest of Joseph Mills,	5	73
paid 3 witnesses,	2	31
William D. Knapp, salary as Justice of Police Court one year,	200	00
7 complaints and warrants,	10	50
A. W. Guptill, wood for lock-up,	5	50
Azem Niles, sawing wood,	1	50
John Jones, wood for lock-up,	3	00
Tristram Grant, sawing wood.	2	75
S. A. Seavey, pail and axe handle,		35
Enoch Whitehouse, one broom,		40
Free Press Co., printing blanks,	4	00
Edwin Fernald, printing blanks,	16	00

Albert Jones, special police,	1 00
John O. Hayes, " "	1 00
Joseph Terrio, " "	1 00
Daniel Davis, " "	1 00
	$591 65

LIQUOR AGENCY.

Receipts.

By cash from O. L. Farnham, Liquor Agent,	$320 61

Payments.

To Albert F. Lawton, 3 gallons brandy,	21 18
25 gallons whiskey,	83 70
35 gallons Medford rum,	57 75
14 gallons alcohol,	33 64
10 gallons gin,	40 26
2 gallons port wine,	5 00
U. S. Stamps,	1 20
Bagley & Co., express,	1 90
Eastern Express Co., express,	5 80
Orin L. Farnham, salary as Liquor Agent one year to March 1, 1879,	50 00
	$300 43

DOG TAX.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$314 00

Payments.

To Henry Clark for 31 hens killed by a dog,	$11 47

STATE TAX.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$6440 00

Payments.

To State Treasurer,	$6440 00

COUNTY TAX.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$9646 50

Payments.

To County Treasurer,	$9646 50

TOWN BONDS.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$2450 00

Payments.

To Bond No. 113,	$300 00
No. 118,	50 00
No. 119,	50 00
No. 124,	50 00
No. 125,	50 00
No. 126,	50 00
No. 127,	50 00
No. 128,	50 00
No. 129,	50 00
No. 130,	100 00
No. 131,	100 00
No. 133,	100 00
No. 134,	100 00
No. 137,	100 00
No. 141,	300 00
No. 142,	500 00
No. 143,	500 00
	$2500 00

INTEREST.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$1400 00

Payments.

To Ann M. Emery, interest on $3000 note from Oct. 1, 1877 to Oct. 1, 1878,	$180 00
Geo. W. Remick, interest on $1000 note from March 20, 1877 to Aug. 5, 1878,	82 50
Interest Warrants on $50 bond from Oct. 1873 to Oct. 1877,	15 00
Interest Warrants, 1878.	1041 00
	$1318 50

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Receipts.

By County of Strafford,	$1952 49

Payments.

To sundry bills chargeable to County,	$1952 49

TOWN PAUPERS.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$1000 00

Payments.

To Aaron D. Faunce,	
funeral of Chas. McIntire,	$10 00
Georgiana Dromie,	4 00
Louis Decauteaux,	2 00
Stephen Downs,	8 00
child of Eugene Hall,	2 00
Charles Beaupere,	4 00
Margaret Shorey,	4 00
Handra Florea,	4 00
Joshua B. Drew,	8 00
Milton Crosby,	4 00
Adda Cratteau,	4 00
Battis Bastien,	4 00
Philomena Legendra,	4 00
Mary Gangre,	4 00
Emelia Laugair,	4 00
Adelia Renie,	4 00
Mary Lessure,	4 00
Marie O. Gastonguay,	4 00
Delma Puggett,	4 00
Napoleon Kelley,	2 00
John Martin, goods to Hannah Ricker,	5 00
Charles Robinson,	25 50

To John Martin, goods to Jacob Mason,	47	75
Joseph Lamie,	4	50
Mrs. Eli Drew,	7	50
Mrs. Fred Malonzo,	8	50
John Fleury,	5	00
Louise H. Burleigh, Ex., costs in suit v. Martha Jewell,	8	00
Enoch Whitehouse, goods to Joseph Lamie,	3	76
Jacob Mason,	25	08
Reuben Furgerson,	8	69
Chas. M. Robinson,	53	83
John A. Bagley, goods to Patrick McCarthy,	4	50
Reuben Furgerson,	12	00
Patrick Crowley,	18	57
Edw. R. Bartlett, goods to Annie Drew,	13	59
Mrs. J. T. Mason,	1	85
Mrs. Fred Malonzo,	21	27
S. P. Union, goods to Mary Bohan,	81	00
Mrs. Fred Malonzo,	19	97
O. L. Farnham & Co., goods to Jacob F. Mason,	15	00
Joseph Lamie,	3	93
John G. Hill, goods to Reuben Furgerson,	5	00
Charles M. Robinson,	6	00
True W. Woodman, goods to Mrs. Fish,	11	26
Samuel James, goods to Joshua Roberts,	10	00
Sarah N. Tenny,	7	47
Jacob T. Bickford, goods to Joseph Lamie,	6	00
John W. Bates, goods to Frank Young,	2	00
Jacob Mason,		90
C. M. Robinson,	1	25
Mary Connolly, rent from Nov. 1 to Feb. 1, 1879, to Mrs. Malonzo,	16	50
E. B. Hill, rent 3 months,	24	00

To John C. Hastings, rent from Dec 10, 1877, to April 10, 1878, for Reuben Furgerson,	4 00
Abigail Perkins, board of Stephen Thompson,	66 00
Melvina Webber, nursing Mrs. Malonzo,	3 00
C. E. Goodwin, rent from Dec. 15, 1877 to Nov. 15, 1878, for Mrs. G. A. Elwell,	42 00
John N. Haines, coal for Annie Drew,	3 00
Reuben Furgerson.	3 00
Chas. M. Hussey, board of Mary E. Tibbets.	15 00
Arabella S. Wood, board of child of Geo. Young,	15 00
John S. Legro, rent from Apr. 1, to Oct. 18, 1878, for Charles Robinson,	46 00
A. Jenkins, medical attendance of Joshua B. Drew,	11 70
John A. Hayes, surgical operation upon child of C. M. Robinson,	18 00
medical services for one year ending April 1, 1879,	50 00
B. F. Hanson & Co., teams to County Farm,	10 00
John O. Lord, team to County Farm,	2 00
T. S. Wentworth, teams to County Farm,	12 00
Charles Nason, fare to Salem, Mass. of Hannah Ricker,	1 85
George W. Stevens, taking Michael Dasha, Jr. to County Farm,	3 00
C. M. Jones, medicines,	37 68
J. Y. Wingate, "	1 50
George Moore, "	20 54
Wm. B. Martin, expenses and extra services on pauper account,	23 00
Forest Glade Cemetery, burial of Milton Crosby,	2 50

To Forest Glade Cemetery, burial of Margaret Shorey,	3	50
Stephen Downs,	2	50
Julia Garey, board and care of Margaret White,	23	40
B. F. Hanson & Co., conveyance to County Farm of Margaret White,	3	00
County of Strafford, board of Martha Jewell 44 weeks,	66	00
board of Michael Cotter 52 weeks,	130	00
board of Jas. Daley 16 1-7 weeks,	24	21
board of Margaret White 52 weeks,	130	00
board of Michael Dasha, Jr., 28 2-7 weeks,	42	42
board of Mary J. Holbrook 26 5-7 weeks,	40	05
board of James T. Elliott 14 1-7 weeks,	21	21
clothing for Michael Cotter,	10	30
	$1461	03

[It is expected that the sums paid for support of Martha Jewell and Margaret White, amounting to $222 40, will be repaid to the town.]

GENERAL EXPENSES.

Receipts.

By Taxes,	$1163 50
Savings Bank Tax,	2947 74
Railroad Tax,	429 07
Insurance Tax,	18 75
	$4559 06

Payments.

To Affie P. Clark, execution for damages,	2383 75
Joseph Jenness, execution for damages,	1153 63
W. J. Copeland, costs in Boynton case,	191 51
T. J. Smith, attorney fees,	150 00
Copeland & Edgerly, attorney fees,	306 69
paid witnesses,	65 00
James A. Edgerly, attorney fees,	38 00
Howard M. Hanson, 5 days at Dover,	10 00
James A. Locke, 3 days at Dover,	6 00
Enoch Whitehouse, 1 day at Dover,	2 00
Ursula Hill, damages from defective highway,	158 00
Benjamin L. Gowen, damages from defective highway,	50 00
Wm. H. Sylvester, damages from defective highway,	75 00
John Tardis, damages from defective highway,	43 00
Wm. T. Wentworth, damages from defective highway,	12 00

To Fred. L. Chapman, damages from defective highway,	16	00
Freeman Babb, damages from defective highway,	15	00
John S. LeGro, damages from defective highway,	7	00
True W. Woodman, damages from defective highway,	9	50
Abigail Brown, damage for widening Baker road,	50	00
Mary A. Hanson, damage for widening Baker road,	50	00
O. B. Morse, surveying streets,	12	00
Great Falls Mf'g Co., one-half cost repairing Town Hall in 1877,	454	83
Littlefield Post, G. A. R., for decoration of soldiers' graves,	100	00
Free Press Co., printing 1000 copies of Town Accounts,	59	00
printing 80 check lists,	25	00
2000 tax bills,	3	75
Edwin Fernald, printing 50 reward notices,	1	25
C. F. Elliott, certifying 14 births,	3	50
medical services,	5	00
C. E. Swasey, certifying 52 births and deaths,	13	00
J. Conant, " 29 " "	7	25
A. Jenkins, " 4 " "	1	00
W. H. Sylvester, " 2 " "		50
Tamson Ramsey, " 17 "	4	25
L. D. Hamblett, " 16 " and deaths,	4	00
Folsom & Faunce, repairing town clock,	11	25
Eben H. Randall, bounty on 2 foxes,	1	00
Frank Austin, bounty on hawk,		20
I. N. Foss, " "		20

To Fred Wentworth, bounty on hawk,		20
Fred Whitehouse bounty on 2 hawks,		40
Oscar Wessenger, " on 3 "		60
Daniel Chadbourne, showing Selectmen the line for straightening Baker road,	1	50
S. A. Seavey, padlock for Pound,		85
Allen Twombly, perambulating town line,	2	00
J. L. Pitman, trucking,	3	50
E. M. Demick "	3	85
B. F. Hanson & Co., teams for Selectmen,	10	50
S. I. Roberts, watering place,	3	00
T. D. Locke, watering place two years,	6	00
Albert Thwing, school books for poor children.	16	33
Loyd A. Goodwin, inventory books,	10	00
tax book, surveyors' books and diary,	5	40
stationery,	6	50
school books for poor children,	14	20
Henry C. Gilpatrick, auditing accounts 1878,	3	00
Orlando J Bagley, " " "	3	00
Wm. B. Martin, services as overseer of the poor,	30	00
Wm. F. Harmon, services as Town Clerk,	50	00
notifying jurors,	6	00
2 large invoice books,	24	00
1 Town Record book,	6	00
1 blank book		15
rubber bands,		50
C. H. Wells, Superintending School Committee,	30	00
Enoch Whitehouse, services as Selectman,	100	00
Howard M. Hanson, " "	100	00
James A. Locke, " "	100	00

To Wm. D. Knapp, services as Treasurer,	100 00
making copy of inventory for County Commissioners,	10 00
stationery and postage,	3 00
Wm. Pitt Moses, for collecting taxes, $46,500.00 at 7-8 of 1 per cent,	406 88
	$6556 42

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1.

Receipts.

By Balance of account last year,	$24 22
Taxes for Schools,	90 00
Dog Tax for 1877,	104 00
Literary Fund,	25 00
	$243 22

Payments.

To Albert J. Hanson, Agent,	$218 22

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 2.

Receipts.

By Taxes for Schools,	$110 00
Dog Tax for 1877,	104 00
Literary Fund,	30 00
	$244 00

Payments.

To Lewis H. Stevens, Agent,	$237 50

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 3.

Receipts.

By Taxes for Schools,	$6300 00
Dog Tax for 1877,	104 00
Literary Fund,	189 57
School District Taxes,	6800 00
	$13393 57

Payments.

To Prudential Committee,	$8793 57

RECAPITULATION

Receipts.

Cash in Treasury March 1, 1878,	$45 23
John O. Lord,	3 00
Savings Bank Tax for 1878,	2947 74
Railroad Tax for 1878,	429 07
Insurance Tax for 1878,	18 75
Literary Fund for 1878,	244 57
Town of Berwick,	15 25
Liquor Agency,	320 61
Police Court,	114 67
Town Hall,	516 00
County of Strafford,	1952 49
William Pitt Moses, Collector,	46500 00
	$53107 38

Expenditures.

Highway District No. 1,	$164 01
" " No. 2,	305 95
" " No. 3,	944 67
" " No. 4,	194 29
" " No. 5,	5660 16
" " No. 6,	111 60
" " No. 7,	323 02
" " No. 8,	395 64
Street Lights,	1446 95

Fire Department,	3056 84
Town Hall,	426 43
Police Department,	591 65
Liquor Agency,	300 43
Dog Tax,	11 47
State Tax,	6440 00
County Tax,	9646 50
Town Bonds,	2500 00
Interest,	1318 50
County Paupers,	1952 49
Town Paupers,	1461 03
General Expenses,	6556 42
School District No. 1,	218 22
School District No. 2,	237 50
School District No. 3,	8793 57
Cash in Treasury March 1, 1879,	50 04
	$53107 38

Trial Balance of Town Books,

MARCH 1, 1879.

Page.	TITLE.	DEBITS.	CREDITS.	DR. BAL.	CR. BAL.
102	Town Bonds,	2,500.00	19,400.00		16,900.00
103	Savings Bank Tax,	2,947.74	2,947.74		
106	Literary Fund,	244.57	244.57		
113	County Tax,	9,646.50	9,646.50		
114	County Paupers,	1,952.49	1,952.49		
117	State Tax,	6,440.00	6,440.00		
120	Taxes,	48,145.15	48,145.15		
124	Notes Payable,		4,000.00		4,000.00
133	Insurance Tax,	18.75	18.75		
134	School District No. 2,	237.50	244.00		6.50
135	General Expenses,	6,556.42	4,559.06	1,997.36	
136	Soldiers,	18,773.22	6,982.00	11,791.22	
137	United States,	4,532.00		4,532.00	
141	School District No. 1,	218.22	243.22		25.00
142	Town Hall,	426.43	516.00		89.57
143	Abatements,	269,62	2,031.15		1,761.53
144	Cash,	53,107.38	53,057.34	50.04	
145	Street Lights,	1,446.95	1,415.25	31.70	
146	Interest,	1,318.50	1,400.00		81.50
148	Town Paupers,	1,461.03	1,000.00	461.03	
150	Dog Tax,	11.47	314.00		302.53
152	Railroad Tax,	429.07	429.07		
153	School Taxes,	6,500.00	6,500.00		
155	Notes Receiveable,	345.11		345.11	
157	Liquor Agency,	300.43	320.61		20.18
158	Highways,	8,099.34	6,003.00	2,096.34	
159	Police Department,	591.65	614 67		23.02
160	Fire Department,	3,056.84	2,500.00	556.84	
162	Town Stock,	5,410.44	2,285.90	3,124.54	
163	Wm. Pitt Moses, Coll'r,	49,593.27	46,769 62	2.823.65	
164	School District No. 3,	8,793.57	13,393.37		4,600.00
		243,373.66	243,373.66	27,809.83	27,809.83

Brief Statement of the Financial Condition of the Town March 1, 1879.

LIABILITIES.

Town Bonds,	$16900 00	
NOTES PAYABLE.		
Ann M. Emery,	$3000 00	
George W. Remick,	1000 00	
Balance due School district No. 3,	4600 00	
		$25500 00

ASSETS.

Cash in Treasury,	$50 04	
George J. Richards' Note,	345 11	
Balance of Taxes charged to Wm. Pitt Moses, Collector,	2823 65	
		$3218 80

Debt of the town March 1, 1878,	$23400 00
Debt of the town March 1, 1879,	25500 00
Increase during the year,	$2100 00

Town Bonds Nos. 84 and 85 for $100 each, and No. 89 for $300, which became due Oct. 1, 1876, and No. 123 for $50, and Nos. 132 and 135 for $100 each, which became due Oct. 1, 1878, have not been presented for payment.

WILLIAM D. KNAPP, Treasurer.

The undersigned, having examined the books of the town for the year ending March 1, 1879, find the payments properly vouched, the books correctly posted, accurately footed, kept according to the method adopted by the town, and agreeing with the trial balance.

ORLANDO J. BAGLEY,
HENRY C. GILPATRICK, } Auditors.

Somersworth, March 1, 1879.

ESTIMATE.

In compliance with the rules adopted by the town, the Selectmen publish the following as their estimate of the amount of money required to be raised to defray the expenses of the town for the year ensuing:

Schools,	$6500 00
Highways,	6000 00
Street Lights,	1400 00
Police Department,	600 00
Fire Department,	2500 00
Town Paupers,	1000 00
Town Bonds,	2500 00
Interest,	1400 00
State Tax,	6440 00
County Tax,	8038 75
General Expenses,	1621 25
	$38000 00

Respectfully submitted,

ENOCH WHITEHOUSE,
HOWARD M. HANSON, } Selectmen of Somersworth.
JAMES A. LOCKE,

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

L. S. To the Inhabitants of the Town of Somersworth qualified to vote in town afiairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall, in said town, on Tuesday the eleventh day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLÆ 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 3. To choose one person as Trustee of Forest Glade Cemetery for the term of five years, next ensuing, and to fill all vacancies in the board of Trustees of said Cemetery.

ART. 4. To grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town expenses for the year ensuing, and for the support of Schools in said town.

ART. 5. To determine how the school money shall be divided among the several School Districts.

ART. 6. To see how the town will divide the Literary Fund for the year ensuing.

ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money and give the notes of said town therefor, to pay any or all indebtedness of the town not funded; and will further authorize said Selectmen to hire any or all of said moneys of individuals living in the town, at a rate of interest not exceeding five per cent. per annum, exempting all money thus loaned from taxation.

Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to purchase land, and build thereon a Hook and Ladder house, and raise and appropriate money therefor not exceeding the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars, by application of Stephen S. Chick.

Art. 9. To make such by-laws for licensing, regulating or restraining dogs, and such rules and by-laws for managing and ordering its prudential affairs as the town shall deem expedient, and to alter or annul existing by-laws, in conformity with the general laws of the State.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to give each Engine Company, including the Hook and Ladder and Hose Carriage Companies, the use of the Town Hall one evening each year, free of expense, by application of E. P. Horn and others.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-second day of February, in the year 1879.

ENOCH WHITEHOUSE,
HOWARD M. HANSON,
JAMES A. LOCKE,
} Selectmen of Somersworth.

Statement of Affairs of Forest Glade Cemetery for the year ending Feb. 20, 1879.

Receipts.

Almeda Chamberlain, for lot,	$55 00
Alonzo H. Andrews, "	88 00
Clement Ham, "	75 00
Hugh R. Stanley, "	50 00
Abigail Kennison, "	80 50
M. M. Duke and M. R. Swasey, for lot in part,	40 00
Solomon Clark, Estate, for lot,	53 25
Sarah D. Jones, "	99 00
C. F. Davis, "	53 00
Isaac F. Harriman " in part,	29 00
Lois Merrill, "	71 00
Shem Emery & Sons, "	86 00
L. & S H. Thompson " in part,	15 00
Blake & Nute, "	80 00
F. M. Sherman, "	50 00
Martha A. Roberts "	68 25
Town of Somersworth, lumber,	62 85
Blaisdell & Lothrop, lumber and labor,	69 24
J. A. Stickey, labor,	47 87
R. H. Hussey, "	21 25
J. F. Fielden "	28 50
Smith & Goodwin, in full,	20 40
Geo. E. Hubbard, "	12 00
Joshua Mills, in part,	19 00
George E. Clements, account, 1877,	1 50
L. D. Pray, " "	1 25
E. F. Foss, " "	5 00

Almira Whitehouse, account, 1877, in part,	1 50
N. N. Hurd, " "	2 50
J. L. Gilman's Estate " "	3 50
C. Robinson, " "	5 00
Andrews & Hussey, " "	50
Sundry persons, for labor on lots,	253 75
M. C. Swain,	70 50
	$1619 11

EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid to sundry persons for labor,	$877 34
J. R. Horne, sawing.	26 90
Henry Paul, straw.	10 15
J. Martin, grain,	32 07
Great Falls Manufacturing Co., iron posts.	10 16
T. S Wentworth, harness,	15 00
Decater Brothers, carting timber.	29 16
Tebbits & Bro , tools,	15 05
E. Fernald, printing.	4 00
F. Chick, repairs,	6 95
A. W. Stevens, repairs,	1 95
G. W. Stevens, "	2 50
E. H. Twombly, searching records,	4 00
D. W. Wentworth, manure,	4 50
M. Heauretty, "	1 75
B. L. Wentworth. "	13 00
S. A. Seavey, tools,	3 90
S. P. Horne, sawing,	7 40
J. Martin, cement for tomb,	3 50
D. Wingate, paint.	87

S. James & Sons, grass seed and salt,	70
B. S. Moore, interest,	42 00
W. B. Martin,	506 26
	$1619 11

ASSETS.

Due from sundry persons,	$473 80
Balance Forest Glade Cemetery,	19 50
	$493 80

LIABILITIES.

Due B. S. Moore,	$300 00
Wm. B. Martin, 1877,	73 56
Wm. B. Martin, 1878,	119 74
	$493 30

I know of no other outstanding bills against the Cemetery. There are eight lots finished, and ten lots all graded, which cost for labor and posts about $540 00, which should be reckoned as assets; about 300 feet of new fence has been built on the west side. One new avenue has been about completed, and other general improvements been made.

WILLIAM B. MARTIN, Supt.

The undersigned have examined the books of Forest Glade Cemetery, find the payments properly vouched, correctly posted, and as exhibited in trial balance dated February 20. 1879.

ORLANDO J. BAGLEY,
HENRY C. GILPATRICK, } Auditors.

Somersworth, March 1, 1879.